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Secretary Ballinger's Orders Parade in Morning, Patriotic Are Emphatic-Mexican Treaty Did It.

SAYS THIS MUST BE CARRIED OUT

The letter of secretary of interior cause of its International character, as Cleveland square immediately no doubt about the earnestness of the Then comes a basket picnic government in the matter.

In part, the letter, which was wired here in full on request of R. F. Burges, is addressed to F. H. Newell, director of the reclamation service, says:
"On the 19th inst. you addressed a
letter to me in which it was stated
among other things, in effect that your

office understood from my letter of the 18th that the construction of the dain should be taken up as soon as possible and with the understanding you had telegraphed to the supervising engineer, Mr. Hill, 'to take up at once the work outlined in the current quarterly estimates at once that he may be ready to proceed as rapidly as possible after ssion of the property has been ob-

"In view of my understanding in the premises the action of your office in so Instructing Mr. Hill is approved. Because of the provisions of the treaty between this country and Mexico the United States is obligated to erect the Engle dam at as early date as possible. From your said letter of the 29th ultime it would seem that there is money available from the special approprialiminary work. This being so, said work should be begun at once and car-ried to speedy completion unless from an engineering standpoint it should not be commenced, if at the time it is completed, conditions will be such that con-dition upon the foundation of the dam cannot be begun. n order to begin constructing the foundations of the dam, it appears that there should be available m the reclamation fund the sum of You state that such sum will be available at the time the pre-liminary work is finished.

"From the evidence submitted and the statements made before the committee on ways and means of the house of representatives in respect to the so-called \$20,000,000 bill, it would seem chiled \$20,000,000 bill, it would seem that any allotment from the reclamation fund during the years of 1910-11 to begin the construction of the Engle dam projects, some of which are almost completed. If the Engle dam proposition were one in the Engle dam proposition were one in which only the clitzens of this country are interested. I would not feel inspection of Independence. Aldertified at this time in taking any action | man Blumenthal was given this part of | department by looking to its construction from moneys | the program to look after. | ever, that Pitt try are interested. I would not feel jus- Declaration of Independent in the reclamation fund if by so doing the completion of other projects would charge of the parade and he urges all

status then the other approved projects asked to bring in the troops from Fort in that it is one in which the citizens of the republic of Mexico are interested paraded. It is expected that company and the full of the results of the and the faith of this government is pledged by solemn treaty to begin and bor and other organizations are to be mplete at as early a date as possible. urged to appear. To carry out the provisions of the Following the

treaty, congress by 1st of March 4, 1904 es in Cleveland square, the people (24 stat. L. 1357), made a direct appro-priation of \$1,000,000 and at the same baskets for a big noonday feed under time provided 'that the balance of the therefore, of our treaty obligations with ball game. At hight the \$500 worth of the republic of Mexico and of the said fireworks will be set off. As this latact of congress, I feel that it is incum-bent upon this department to construct judge F. E. Hunter, who admits that said dam as soon as possible, even though the completion of other projects it is going to be something worth secbe delayed thereby. I therefore direct ing. you to advise the engineers to so plan the work as to be ready to begin upon 0. HENRY, NOTED SHORT the foundations in July, 1911, all work, however, should be done by contract he done by force account."

HOUSE MAY CONCUR IN SENATE MEASURE

Probabilities, However, That Railway Bill Will Go to Conference.

Washington, D. C., June 6 .- Hurry his writings as "O. Henry." calls went out today for all members of the house Republicans and Democrats to come back prepared for a contest temorrow over the question of whether the house would concur in the senate amendments to the administration railroad bill or run the measure

Salrman Mann, of the interstate and foreign commerce committee, will insist on the bill going to conference. It is expected that he will be backed by the majority of Republicans.

movement on foot to concur in the

Exercises, Fireworks and Lots of Music.

PROGRAM AGREED ON BY COMMITTEE

The fourth of July will be celebrated Ballinger ordering the work on Ele- in El Paso with a big street parade in phant Butte dam to proceed ahead of the morning, speaking and the reading all other reclamation undertakings, be- of the Declaration of Independence in told in The Herald last week, leaves and a band concert after these exercises. ington park at noon, athletin exercises in the afternoon in the park and a fire-works display at night at the same works display at night at This was the tentative

agreed upon Saturday afterno meeting held in the city counc McGhee and J. D. Ponder A. Martin. Mr. Blumenthal rook the lead in arranging for a celebration after the retail merchants had decided to give up their plan, and he asked the other aldermen and a representative from each of the newspapers to join

During the progress of the meeting county judge A. S. J. Eylar and judge Rank E. Hunter were called in and agreed to give their support to the affair. Judge Hunter was appointed to take under his wing the fireworks and sport part of the program and a creed to accept the job if D. W. Reck hart would help him. It is a cinch that it will help, for he was never known back down on a proposition to celebr the fourth or anything else worth ebrating with fireworks.

The aldermen agreed to appropriate \$250 of the city's money to help defray the expenses of the celebration and judge Eylar said the county would do as well. J. D. Ponder was appointed chairman of the committee to solicit subscriptions for further funds, sufficient to enable the committee to se-cure several bands. The \$500 appropriated by the city and county will go for fireworks. The street car company was it assessed \$100 as its share towards paying for music and chairman Ponder expects to raise about \$400 in addition.

d arrange for their transportation to the city and back. H. J. Simmons, general manager of the El Paso & South-western railroad, will furnish the train for moving the troops. He made this Bluefield, for the Estrada forces.

Alderman Percy McGhee was put in "But said dam occupies a different the city to join. Col. Sharpe has been K will be in line and all fraternal, la-

the trees. In the afternoon there will cost of said irrigation project' be paid be band concerts, races of all sorts for 'from the reclamation fund.' In view, men, women and children, and a basehe is neither safe nor sane on July 4,

STORY WRITER, PASSES AWAY

Porter was born in Greensboro, N. C., 46 years ago and began his career on LIGHTNING DESTROYS the Houston Post. Before that he had been a cowboy, sheep herder and drug-gist, and active traveler. The general public knew little of his private life, for he shunned interviewers and was

His breezy paragraphs penned in Texas drew attention to the young writer several years ago, then he for a New York paper and was quickly re-ognized as a writer of ability. Magazine stories followed and his fame was assured. It was only two years ago, however, that any but his closest friends knew his real name. Then he reluctantly consented to have his photography being a but his photography. tograph printed with a brief blography. Henry made his early reputation as

writer in Austin, Tex. He was telle The Demicrats have not yet decided of a bank and conducted a we kly on their course, but there is a strong newspaper known as the "Rolling Stone." He married a daughter of P. C.

TWO NEGROES MEET DEATH IN OLD FEUD

San Antonio, Texas, June 6 .- Cecil Lyon, chairman of the state Republican executive committer, last pigut confirmed the report that Ropervelt would visit Texas this fall and make several addresses in the interest of Republican condidntes for state offices

Washington, D. C., June 1 .- By a vote of 42 to 24 the senate today made administration land withdrawnl bill the order of business. Before the vote was taken a motion to substitute the statehood bill was held not to

Estrada Renews Request That United States Select Temporary President.

MADRIZ HOLDS AN AMERICAN PRISONER

Bluefields, Nicaragua, June 6 .- Gen. Estrada, leader of the provisional government, has repeated the offer that he made last March to Madriz looking to the establishment of peace.

The conditions of his proposals provide for the friendly mediation of the United States, that country to designate the Nicaraguan whom it considers most fit to occupy the presidency provisionally, neither Dr. Madriz nor Gen. Estrada being eligible; the provisional president to convoke elections for a

onstitutional president.
These conditions Madriz refused to accept when they were first offered while expressing the fullest confidence in the government of the United States, but in view of his latest reverses, the difficult conditions under which his military forces have been compeled to assume the aggressive, the lack of supplies and the debilitated condition of his oldiers, it is expected by the provisional leaders that he will now give the pro-posals more consideration.

Madriz Denies Defeat. Managua, Nicaragua, June 6.—President Madriz has deemed it advisable to issue an official denial of reports of

"The report of Gen. Chavarria's de-feat is absolutely false," he say: "For purely military reasons, his column which was operating against Rama, was ordered to fall back on Muelle De Los Bueyos, where it arrived in perfect order with all military stores. Owing to the difficulty of transporting pro-

Our military position is entirely adluefields were only defended by the tionists, we would have captured of \$25,000. g ago.

American Prisoner Safe. G. A. Martin was appointed to secure the Madriz government of Nigeragua the troops from Fort Bliss, if possible, has received no word concerning the capture of William P. Pittman, the Mexico and return.

department by the Madriz faction, how-

came to secretary Knox in dispatch from Am secretary had sent nagua to whom th s of the fate that the newspaper rep had befallen Pittn and pointed out hat this governmen would jealously crutinize the treatm of accorded him. The dispatch also contains the statethat this governme scrutinize the treatm riged to appear.

Following the parade and the exercisment that a courtmarde; to try the prisoner had not been ordered.

LIGHTNING KILLS MAN AT ROY, N. M.

Albuquerque Reports Others Stunned and Property Fired.

Albuquerque, N. M., June & .- Belated reports show Friday night's electrical storm over this section did seritus dam-

Robert Patterson was killed by light-New York, June 6 .- William Sidney ning on a road near Roy. N. M. J. M. Porter, known best under his pen name Packitt was rendered unconscious and of "O. Henry," as the writer of short his house burned near Roswell. Mrs. stories, died Sunday at Polytechnic hos- Lizzie Prill and her son of Portales, pital. He underwent an operation last were knocked unconscious and their Friday and never rallied.

DALHART PHONE SYSTEM.

Dalhart, Texas, June 6.-The heaviest rain in years visited Dalhart county Sunday morning. Lightning destroyed the telephone plant. The fire depart-ment extinguished the flames. The operator was stunned. A flash light system is being installed.

KING GEORGE GIVES

DINNER TO ROOSEVELT. London, England, June Expresident Theodore Roosevelt + and Mrs. Roosevelt were entertained at luncheon today by king 💠 George and queen Mary at Marl-

OKLAHOMA PLAYERS BACK TO OKLAHOMA

Tulsa, Okla., June 6.-Outflelder Mayes and third baseman McDelaide and pitcher Lingenfelder, who pwere sold to Shreveport by Muskogee team, and outfielder Stewart, who was sold by the same team to Kansas City, will return to Muskogee according to an announcement here this morning. The Western association has ordered the sales can-

G. H. WANTS TO ISSUE

BONDS ON VICTORIA DIVISION Austin, Tex., June 6 .- The Calvest Harrisburg and San Antonio raiway part of the Southern filed an application with the railroad commission here today for a new valuation of part of the Victor a-Galveston division for the purpose of Issuing about \$5,000,000 in bonds. The division

STORE ROBBED. No arrests have been made.

MANNING SAYS HE FLEW OVER RIVER

Is Now in Chicago and Says He Will Enter Aero Race to New York.

visions to the troops operating at Blue-fields, because of the heavy rain, Lara and Godoy's columns were ordered to the on El Amindre.

Chicago, Ill., June 6.—P. H. Manning, of El Paso, who was in Chicago last night en route to Cleveland, announced that he would enter the proposed New York-Chicago aerial race for a prize

He has an 80 horsepower bi-Washington, D. C., June 6.—Dr. Luls plane of his own manufacture, he says, orea, epresentative in Washington of in which he recently flew from El Pasa across the Rio Grande four miles into

> If Manning made any such flight, or and fell and wrecked it also.

LIVES IN DENSE SMOKE

New York, June 6 .- Two firemen were killed and more than a score overcome by stifling fumes in fighting then began. warehouse fire near the North river front today.

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TAFT TALKS ON

Men and Discusses the

rates to the interstate commerce com-

on the railroad rate situation. Attor-

ney general Wickersham probably will be present.

Devising Defence.

Chicago, Ill., June 6.—Legal represen-tatives of 25 western railroads met in

the offices of general solicitor Gardner Lathrop, of the Santa Fe road, today

to devise a line of defence against the

matter of freight rates, and to choose

hours' arguments today, judge Scan-

ian took the plea for a writ of ha-

assembly, charged with bribery, un-

der advisement and will announce his

Houston, Texas, June 6.-As a result

of a long feud between certain ele-

ments of whites and negroes at Orange

Texas, Rankin Moore, a negro, was kill-ed last night, it is said by white men.

Earlier in the day Douglas Lemon, another negro, was found shot to death

Dalhart, Texas, June 6 .- Complete returns from over the city on the honest straw vote held Saturday give Poin-dexter 61 votes; Colquitt 55; Davidson

18, and Johnson 9. The votes represent

Herbert C. Kerr, a railway operator

on the street by unknown persons

DALHART STRAW VOOTE

one-third of the city vote.

IN TWO NEGROES DEATHS.

ELECT POINDEXTER.

proceedings.

BRIBERY CASE TAKEN

decision tomorrow morning. ORANGE RACE WAR RESULTS

been approved, in part anyway.

ourse I have suggested."

Situation.

Fireman Timothy Cotter died on the sidewalk after having been carried from the upper floor, where he had lain unconscious more than an hour in a pool of water. Three of the injured are in a serious

To Wed Nobleman





Miss Margaretta Drexel, daughter of Anthony Drexel, the multimillionaire banker of Philadelphia, New York, the multimillionaire and London, whose wedding to viscount on which the bonds are projosed to be Maidstone., Wednesday, Is to be "the" issued is about 360 miles in longth. Drexel recently visited this country, attending the wedding of her brother, San Antonio, Texas, June 6.—Blank- Anthony Drexel, jr., to Miss Marjorie ets, quilts and clothing worth \$500 were Gould. Below is a picture of viscount secured by burglars in a raid on the Maidstone Viscount Maidstone visited store of Talbot Brothers Sundat. The this country with the Drexel party at burglary was discovered this morning. the recent wedding of Authory Drexel,

SOME REGULARS FAIL TO WIN

Are Hit Hard in Pennsylvania Primaries—Politics Active.

Philadelphia, Pa., June 6.—Returns of screaming. The negro fled and an alarm the primary election held throughout the state yesterday show that the Republican organization has succeeded in McAlester. nominating nearly all its slated candidates and in many instances succeeded also in having them placed upon the

tickets of the opposition parties.

The only break in the Republican congressional slate was in Schuylkill county, where the present congressman, Alfred D. Garner, a supporter of speaker Cannon, was defeated by R. D. Seaton, on an insurgent plat-form, and in the 29th, where almost exceplete returns indicate the defeat of

ian, Nelson P. Wheeler, J. Dav. been going on with more or less seri McJunking was nominated in the 22d district, congressman George Huff re-

of president Madriz, of Menragua, Congressman John Dalzell, of Pitts succeeded president Zelayh, burg, an "old guard" of 22 years' experience in Washington, is declared to have under whose administration the revoluwon a renomination in the 30th district former mayor Robert J. Black of McKeesport. The victory according to latest count, with three precisets missing, out of 205, showed a majority of RAILWAY RATES

Sees Interested Railroad state political conventions draw near, the Democratic on June 15, and the Republican on June 19, Republican leaders Washington, D. C. June 6 -- A numadmit they expect a keen struggle. The traveling men a \$5000 home at San An-Democrats are hopeful of carrying the tonlo, Texas, for their appreciation of first and second congressional districts his long and efficient service as their ber of senators and representatives saw brealden; Taft today regarding the rail-road rate situation. Senator Depew of and are working hard to 'I do not sympathize with the railcandidates to the next legislature which roads in this instance. They should must choose a successor to senator Hale have submitted the proposed increase in

Iowa Campaign Closing. Des Moines, Ia., June 6.—Participants mission and sought a hearing before that body. They then could have prein the state primary campaign are weary with almost ceaseless speech-making. In the 7th and 9th districts, sented their case to the public and the chances are that he rates would have where congressmen Hull and Smith are closely pressed by the "progressive" candidates, and where the result will be "But the companies went about this in the wrong way and at the wrong considered as having a national bearing, time. I hope the milroads see their way clear to go back and follow the the campaign will be waged up to the last moment before the primary Tues-

in administration circles today, it day.

seemed to be the opinion that conferences this afternoon would not result in ly as a member of the Cannon rules compare of the administration policy. President Ripley, of the Santa Fe, Delano of the Wabash and Felton of gressives" as standing for all that is rethe Chlengo Great-Western. will con-The fight has been waged with great fer with president Taft this afternoon

bitterness. Governor Carroll has completed an automobile spell binding tour and asserts that he will win on Trasday by a majority of 35,000.

FAMOUS GAMBLER AT DEATH'S DOOR

recent action of the government in the ong time the negro king of gamblers, is of the cont. special counsel to take charge of the about to "cave in." For many years MAJOR DENTLER IS he was leader of the gambling fraternity in Chicago. UNDER ADVISEMENT. Chicago, Ill., June 6.-After several

beas corpus for Lee O'Neil Browns, eago a Democratic house leader of the third Texas.

U. S. Not Napping In Nicaragua HELFLESS,

Held in Jail on Charge of Assaulting Two Girls in an Oklahoma Town.

BLOODHOUNDS TRAILED HIM

He Denied Guilt, But Gir Identified Him-Is Th Murdered in Cell.

McAlester, Okla, June 6.—After he had been placed in jail on a charge of attacking two white girls Sunday at Krebs, John Batson, a negro, was shot and killed in his cell at Krebs this morning. An unidentified person inserted a shotgun in a hole in the screen and fired on the negro. Entson surand fired on the negro. Batson sur-rendered in person to the sheriff because of fear of lynching, but declared he was not the guilty negro. Blood hounds followed the trail to a short distance from the Batson home.

Near the Rock Island depot near Krebs Sunday evening at 7 octock, two girls, aged 15 and 16, were attacked by a negro who struck both to the ground with the butt of a revolver. The elder succeeded in escaping and ran was given and a posse quickly formed with dogs, which took the trail. It es ed near Batson's house, which is McAlester, Batson surrendered midnight and sheriff Hartison took l to Krebs immediately, where he The authorities say they have no The authorities say they have as to who shot Batson.

NEGRO ACCIDENTALLY

KILLS A WHITE Austin, Texas, June 6.at Allen W. Walker, white, near here this morning. The taking effect east and causing instant death some says he did it in fun but rested, charged with murder.

DRUMMERS GIVE PREACHER A HOM

Homer T. Wilson Honored by Traveling Men of Country.

Dalhart, Texas, June 6.-Homer T. Wilson, national chaplain of the Travelers Protective association for 17 years, who is en route to Alva, Okla., and who will give the commencement address at the state normal and thence will go to Chattanooga, Tenn., to atend the neing, out of 205, showed a majority state of the veteran, and Black had been a Dulhart visitor for the past three days, addressing the Elks last three days, addressing the Elks last night at the Christian church. He will night at the Felton Portland, Me., June 6.- As the two deliver a locture tonight at the Felton opera house under the auspices of the Elk lodge. Mr. Wilson has the honor of having received at the hands of the

O HAMILTON TO MAKE

FLIGHT TO PHILADELPHIA, Washington, D. C., June 6-Next Saturday Charles K. Hamliton, the aviator, will sail from Van Cortlandt park in his ab-tempt to fly from Philadelphia and back in the same day for a prize offered by the New York Times.

LAW PASSES TO PERMIT

FARMING ON MINE CLAIMS. Washington, D. C., June 6.-The house bill authorizing disposal of the surface of coal lands for agricultural purposes was passed by the senate to-

The measure, which is considered very important, now only requires the signature of the president to make it

The bill will permit the settleme and cultivation of vast areas of public lands which, while they have been withdrawn on account of their coal deposits, are still valuable for agriculture. Calcago, Ill., June 6.- "Pony" Moore, ernment does not par; with its control

INSTRUCTING MILITIA OFFICERS. Moore has been unconscious since and 14 officers from all parts of the Saturday merning as a rosult of a state are attending a camp of instruc-paralytic stoke and physicians say he cannot recover. Moore came to Chi-cago about 25 years ago from Dallas, United States infantry, is in charge of the camp. It will continue six days.

El Paso's Best Asset.

From Tueson (Ariz.) Citizen.

"El Paso's best asset is The Herald," said an El Pasoan while in Tucson. The El Paso Herald is continually boosting El Paso and the southwestern country. It is the paper that "boosts," one that is always awake to the best interests of a city, which circulates and is the best medium. This is the evening paper.

